June 6, 2016 AEON CO., LTD.

## Apology and Notice for Recalling and Replacing "TOPVALU *Randoseru* (school bag)"

We would like to express our sincere gratitude for your continued patronage and support to Aeon Group stores.

We have found out that a part of "TOPVALU *Randoseru* (school bag)" products sold at stores of the Group companies during the period of April, 2015 to May, 2016 have a defect of attached part for buckles caused by loose rivets. This is caused due to a malfunction of the rivet machine to fix the buckles for securing shoulder belts.

We would like to express our sincere apologies to the customers for the inconvenience and anxiety caused.

We have not received any report of injuries caused due to the product's defect up to now. However, we would like to offer to repair or replacement of the products which can have the similar defects. Please call the toll-free number stated below if you have the above-mentioned products. We will explain about the procedures for repair and replacement of the products.

We are committed to making utmost efforts through repairing and replacing the products promptly so that the customers can use the products with peace of mind as early as possible. Once again, we would like to express our sincere apologies to the customers for the inconvenience and anxiety caused.

#### Note

1. Subject products: In the six items of TOPVALU and TOPVALU SELECT stated below, the products with the following lot numbers.

Nº	Product name		
1	24 colors Randoseru		
	Base price: 33,000 yen		
2	My color Randoseru		
	Base price: 36,000 yen		
3	Flat cube standard light Randoseru		
	Base price: 50,000 yen		
4	Flat cube customized Randoseru		
	Base price: 53,000 yen		
5	Flat cube standard large capacity Randoseru		
	Base price: 55,000 yen		
6	Flat cube light Randoseru (new type)		
	Base price: 50,000 yen		

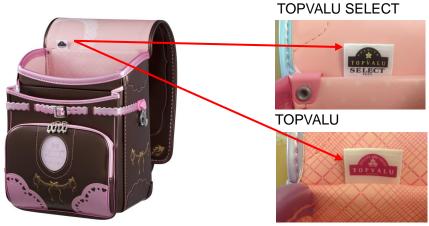
Lot number				
XU0301, XU0311, XU0421, FW050, FW0511, FW0521,FW0601, FW0801, FW0821, FW1021,FW1101, FW1211, FW1221, FS0211				

- Lot number is printed on the front pocket of *Randoseru*. (For confirmation, refer to the example in the next page)
- No defect can be found tor the products without the lot numbers stated above. You can use the products safely.
- 2. Subject companies and stores:
  - AEON Retail Co., Ltd., AEON Hokkaido Corporation, AEON stores of AEON KYUSHU CO., LTD., AEON stores and Maxvalu stores of AEON RYUKYU CO., LTD., Also in total of 507 stores of The Daiei, Inc., SUNDAY CO., LTD., marunaka CO., LTD., AEON SUPERCENTER Co., Ltd., Bon Belta Co., Ltd.
- 3. Sales period: April, 2016 May, 2016

### 4. Inquiries:

TOPVALU customer service desk (Japanese only): 0120-670-630 (toll-free number within Japan) \*Please confirm the number before you call Operation hours: 10am – 5pm, Monday - Saturday

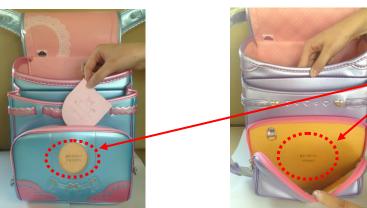
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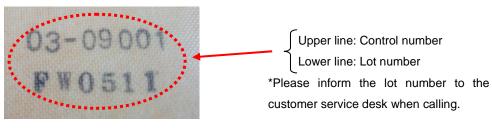


[Pattern 2]
Printed inside of the front pocket



Lot number is printed on the front pocket

[Example of the printed lot number]



#### <Location of the defect>



\*A part of products have a defect of wobbling buckle caused by loose rivets.

# <Example of the products>

Product name	Image	Product name	Image
24 colors <i>Randoseru</i>		Flat cube customized Randoseru	8
My color <i>Randoseru</i>		Flat cube standard large capacity <i>Randoseru</i>	
Flat cube standard light Randoseru		Flat cube light <i>Randoseru</i> (new type)	